

## Farmers' Academy

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Mrs. W. M. Godwin visited Mrs. D. D. Pittman Friday afternoon.

Miss Francis Metcalf, from Calvary, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Morgan.

Miss Clonoe Commander spent the week-end with Miss Mae Rene Baker.

Mr. Grady Seay and Misses Flossie Spears, Farrah, Velma and Neva Hunter were visitors at Flemings' Mill Saturday afternoon.

The party given Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Morgan was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Messrs. Floyd Spears and Grady Seay and Misses Flossie Spears took supper Saturday night with Mr. Boyd Hunter and Miss Farrah Hunter.

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Miss Rubie Godwin spent Saturday night with her grandmother, Mrs. D. D. Pittman.

Messrs. Charles Davis and Dock Nichols and Misses Maurine Folsom, Flossie Godwin and Neva Hunter spent Sunday at River Falls.

Several car loads from our community went riding to Flemings' Mill Sunday.

Mr. Lawrence Hutchison and Miss Eunice Byrd visited our community Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Chancy visited her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Morgan Wednesday.

The young folks of our community visited Misses Elmer Martin and Cleone Stevens Sunday night.

Miss Noma Tindol spent the week-end with Miss Mae Tindol.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Martin of New Brockton, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens Sunday afternoon.

Several from Eanon visited our Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. Smith made a business trip to Elba Friday.

Mr. John Carmichael and sister, Althea, visited in our community Sunday afternoon.

**DR. GWALTNEY TO LECTURE HERE WEDNESDAY.**

Dr. L. L. Gwaltney, Editor of The Alabama Baptist, will deliver his famous lecture, "The Christian's View of the World," at the City School auditorium, next Wednesday evening, April 23rd at 8 o'clock, for the benefit of the Baptist church. Be sure and hear him. You will enjoy every moment of the time.

Admission 25 and 50 cents.

**DANCE ON FRIDAY AT THE ARMORY.**

On Friday evening the young men of Elba entertained with a dance at the Armory. The colors red and green were used in the decorations. The Domino Orchestra, of Montgomery, furnished the music. Visitors from Enterprise, Brockton, Andalusia, Florida and Opp shared in the pleasures of this occasion. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

**COTTON SEED.**

I have some Improved Covington Toole Cotton Seed for sale or will swap for Seed Potatoes. Chas. S. Lee, phone 168 Elba, Ala.

**BRADSHAW.**

I wish to announce that there will be preaching at Mt. Gilead church Saturday April 19th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Preaching Saturday night at 7:30, and also Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. And we are glad to say that Judge Carnley and Dr. Braswell will be with us Sunday at 10 o'clock to organize Sunday School at our church.

Everybody is specially invited to come and hear us. One Interested.

## Goodman Items.

Our pastor, Rev. G. E. Anderson filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lula Mae Johnson spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Allen, who lives at Glendale, Fla.

Miss Bessie McCall spent a few days last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Watkins.

Miss Turch Caldwell spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Watkins.

Mr. Story, of Rome, Ga., is spending some time with his niece, Mrs. D. M. Bailey.

Miss Willie Pearl Stephens spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Shelby Jones.

Miss Itheria Allen, of Glendale, Fla., is spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Johnson.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Louis dined with Mr. and Mrs. Spears Saturday.

Mrs. Dillard and Mrs. Geo. Grimes visited Mrs. N. M. Johnson Saturday afternoon.

Miss Agnes Carroll visited Miss Fannie Wood Tuesday.

Miss Vallie Stephens spent Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. Shelby Jones.

Misses Lula and Eura Johnson and Itheria Allen visited Miss Mildred Grooms Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watson spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Rodgers.

Mr. C. A. Rodgers and family dined with his mother Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. Shelby Jones.

Mr. C. D. Bailey and family spent Sunday with relatives in New Brockton.

Miss Mattie Parrish was the guest of Miss Lena Mae Holmes Sunday.

Mr. D. A. Ross and family, of Pine Level, spent Saturday night with his daughter, Mrs. Moses Richard.

Mrs. Moates spent Sunday with Mrs. J. P. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stephens visited their daughter, Mrs. Shelby Jones Sunday.

Mr. W. E. Spears spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louie Carroll.

Mr. Vander Spears and family, from Central City, dined with Mr. and Mrs. A. Groves Sunday.

Master Bob Parker dined with Grady Anderson Sunday.

The musical entertainment given by Mr. E. M. Richard was enjoyed by all who attended.

Mr. L. H. Hickman, from Central City, visited in our community Wednesday.

Mr. C. H. Addison and family visited relatives near New Home Sunday.

**WIFE BREAKS ARM; MEASLES IN HOME; HORSE KICKS MAN.**

Foley, Ala., April 14.—Mrs. Wallace, of Lillian, recently had the misfortune to fall from a porch and break her left arm. During the time she was suffering all four of the children were taken ill with measles. The oldest boy was sitting up in bed and called his mother to run, that his dad had been kicked in the stomach by the horse, Mrs. Wallace found her husband lying unconscious. He was badly hurt, but apparently there will be no ill results.

**FRIENDSHIP SINGING.**

The people of this community are in the midst of a friendly singing at the church on the second Sunday of this month to organize their Sacred Harp singing for the year. The officers elected were:

J. P. Metcalf, chairman; J. E. Harrison, vice-chairman; Odelle Phillips, secretary; S. M. Davis and I. C. McCoy, arranging committee.

The work will be singing at this place every second Sunday afternoon, and on the second Sunday in June there will be an all day singing here. Everybody is invited to come.

Odelle Phillips, Secy.

After oil has been extracted from cotton beans, brickeys are being made of the pulp.

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## WITH ELBA CHURCHES

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas H. Gernon Pastor.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. J. C. Fleming, Superintendent.

Some of the encouraging features of our church work at present are: increased attendance at Sunday school, greater interest in the teaching and devotional services of the church and good singing, both special and congregational.

The Sunday school was the best last Sunday we've had in quite a while. There were four 100 per cent classes and two others that lacked the presence of two members to make them 100 per cent classes.

Much interest is being manifested in the prayer meeting topics that are being discussed on Wednesday evenings. The singing has been exceptionally good for the last two Sundays.

Special preparation is being made for the musical part of our program next Sunday. We hope to have some special Easter music.

There will be no prayer meeting at the church next Wednesday evening on account of Dr. Gwaltney's lecture, "European Travel and Observation," to be delivered at the City school auditorium. It is hoped all Baptists, as well as all citizens of Elba, will take advantage of this opportunity to hear Dr. Gwaltney's splendid lecture.

Let us all do all we can to make the Sunday school larger and better next Sunday, than ever before and all classes 100 per cent.

It is likely Dr. J. O. Colley will preach for us at the 11:00 o'clock service. He will have something good in store for us. Let us have a large attendance next Sunday.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the services of the church. Strangers and visitors are always welcome.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Preaching every Sunday, at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. F. M. Lowrey, Pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supr.

Epworth League, Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Prayer Service, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

"I believe in the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting." There are more people in the cemetery in Mobile than are in the houses of that city. There are more people in the sea and the earth than are walking about over the earth. Are they really in their graves? No! Every one is in full possession of his faculties and capacities somewhere in God's universe. The greatest wonder in the writer's experience was the awful power in Dewey's flagging, awful in its power and speed and conquest. We do not remember how a single soldier ever looked. But since then we have realized that the most important thing there was not the ship, but the men; for the ship has been scrapped with thousands of others. But a million years from now those men will just be in the beginning of life.

"If a man die, shall he live again?" This can be answered only with a shout, "YES." Let me describe the house of those you have loved and lost awhile. In many Father's house are many mansions. I go to prepare a place for you."

Mr. Hudson retired from active work several years past on account of a lame leg caused by typhoid fever. With this exception he is in the best of health.

Mr. Hudson lost his wife some four or five years ago and now makes his home with his youngest son, Mr. Grover C. Hudson who resides at Enterprise, Ala., being in the employ of the government as a rural mail carrier. Mr. Hudson has one brother, James H. Hudson, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary J. Shields and Mrs. Jeff Bragg. Both were at the celebration.

Mrs. Shields resides with Mr. Hawkins and is in feeble health, and that was the reason for her being at the celebration.

With best wishes to all and everyone.

Oscar T. Maddox.

May Mr. Hudson see many more years and live to a ripe old age and on or near the 12th day of next April be present at another pleasant occasion for everyone of his present offspring being living and be able to meet him there to enjoy his presence.

Mr. Tom Tatom, of Montgomery, was a visitor at Elba Tuesday.

**STEPHEN SMITH SINGING.**

The Stephen Smith annual singing will be held at his old home place, on the fourth Sunday in April. Everybody is invited to come and bring your song books and a well filled basket.—Committee.

## Free! Free!!

AS A SPECIAL COURTESY TO EVERY LADY WHO VISITS OUR STORE BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 1:00 P. M. AND 6:00 P. M. ON

FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH

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PHONE 161-A — — — WEST ELBA.

**NEGRESS 115 YEARS DIES IN DALLAS COUNTY.**

Selma, Ala., April 14.—News reached Selma today of the death last Thursday of Isabelle Morse, a Negress, 115 years of age, on the C. W. Woods plantation near Burnsville.

The old negress was known to white and black as "grandma" and was a familiar figure sitting under a tree taking care of the negro children of the plantation. Six generations were born and reached their majority within her memory. She was an old woman as far back as the oldest white citizen in the Burnsville neighborhood can remember and was never sick in her life until her fatal illness last week. She was believed to have been the oldest inhabitant of Alabama at the time of her death.

Much interest is being shown in the building of the Elba-Sanson road, and people generally will be glad when this work is started, and will join heartily in commending the county officials for their efforts in improving the highways of the county.

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ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, APRIL 24TH, 1924.

## THE COUNTY AGENT AND FARM BUREAU

BY R. G. ARNOLD

Position Boll Weevil Just Before Squares Form.

On account of some expense attached to machines for properly putting out calcium arsenate on cotton plants, most farmers are not planning to use any position at all, but this is a mistake: Calcium arsenate is a position of the boll weevil, and should be used on every farm. The writer has had several years experience with position methods and knows that a position properly applied will pay. Now the first application can be applied by every farmer in the county, since it requires no expensive machinery. Take a sack of the dust arsenate and just over the young plants just before the squares begin to form, the later you wait the better just so you get the position on the bud before any squares form, as the weevil gets into squares then and is hard to handle.

**MRS. JOHNSON ENTER-TAINS FOR VISITOR.**

Mrs. H. C. Johnson was hostess of a party Thursday morning when she entertained in honor of her visitor, Mrs. J. D. Speer, of Wetumpka. The porch was attractive with decorations of ferns and baskets of cut flowers. Five hundred was played at four tables. The hostess assisted by Mesdames E. F. Blocker and James Engle, had served a picnic course.

Those present were: Mesdames J. E. Speer, of Wetumpka, Mesdames Rowe, J. H. Arnold, Lillian Stephens, Duddy Deane, James English, Osborne Rainer, C. E. Dorsey, C. P. Hayes, Vandy Wright, Hendrix Jeter, J. D. Clark, Robert Tucker, Misses Sallie Page and Lurline Ham.

**W. M. S. CIRCLES HAVE INTERESTING MEETINGS.**

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church met on Monday afternoon in the following homes: Mrs. John Gant was hostess to the Betty Buck Circle. Decade of W. M. U. Service was studied, with Mrs. C. H. Gannon as mission study leader. There were ten members present.

The Sallie Boyd Circle met with Mrs. Gardner Clark. Plans were discussed for an excursion to the Troy Normal, being divided into two groups, Mesdames W. P. Boyd and Clark, Blair as leaders. At the close of the contest the ladies were to entertain the winners to a dinner at the hotel. Mrs. W. P. Boyd led the study for the afternoon. Nine members present and two visitors.

Mrs. Bob Hutchison was hostess to the Hattie Corner Circle. Mrs. Wesley Ham leader for study. The Wandering Jew in Brazil. Fifteen members present and one visitor.

**MR. AND MRS. BRUNSON GIVE BRIDGE PARTY.**

A bridge party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brunson on Thursday evening. These tables were arranged for the games. At a late hour the hostess served a salad and ice course.

**NUMBER OF BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB.**

We are gratified at the interest taken recently by the boys and girls in the club work. The club has been very successful in its work, and is proving the hog and poultry work in Coffee County and we are still inviting more to join.

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**NEGRO HANGED BY MOB IN S. C.**

Orangeburg, S. C., April 21.—The bullet-riddled body of Luke Adams, negro, was found swinging from a tree in the yard of a mob. Adams was thrown in jail at Norway yesterday charged with insulting a white woman. The mob had to have stormed the jail last night, and lynched their victim.

Mrs. M. Soller, of Ozark, was the guest of relatives at Elba last week.

**GRAVEYARD WORKING**

There will be a graveyard working at Sharon church on Friday before the first Sunday in May. All interested in this cemetery are urged to be present on that day prepared to work.

W. C. Clark.

**MR. WHITMAN IS BUILDING HOME.**

Work is progressing rapidly on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman, which is located on the lot north of O. S. Rainer's home. This will be one of the nicest homes in that section of town when completed, and is also very conveniently located for a great addition to that section of town.

## FOR Latest News of Interest Read The Elba Clipper

NUMBER 44.

## COUNTY BUYS LAW MEMBERS OF RAINER PROPERTY FOR USE AS FAMILY INJURED SUNDAY IN AUTO WRECK

A deal was closed the first of last week whereby the Commissioners' Court of Coffee County purchased the home of Mrs. I. T. Law on the hill East of Town, which will be used in the future as the County Almshouse.

This home is ideally located for the home of the unfortunate of the county, being located near enough to be in easy access to the people of the town. It is understood that the Commissioners will make some improvements in the property, perhaps adding several new rooms to the building. It is stated that quite a lot of new furniture will be added to the equipment for the home. The present almshouse is now and has been for some time in a bad state, and for several months efforts have been made to make a change in the location. The old property will be sold if it is stated.

The county officials are to be congratulated on this move to give these unfortunate people a more desirable and a more healthful place in which to live.

**MISS EVA LEE ENTERTAINS FOR MISS HORN.**

The home of Mrs. Gardner Clark was the scene of a lovely party on Saturday afternoon when Miss Eva Lee entertained for Miss Hattie Horn, of the Troy Normal. Wicker baskets of pink roses and fern made the living room very pretty. Here four tables were arranged for bridge. After the games the hostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Clark, served a plate course.

**LIBERTY ITEMS.**

The J. M. S. invited the Sunday school to an Easter egg hunt at Mrs. Foley's Saturday afternoon. We did not count the children, but believe about one hundred attended. The Junior meeting and helped in the hunt for eggs hidden in the woods. All reported a nice time.

The Juniors had a short program after Sabbath school, Sunday afternoon.

We intended to have an all day program the first Sunday in May with Sunday school recitations and songs in the morning. Address by Dr. Braswell and probably others in the afternoon.

Preaching at three o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited, there will be dinner for all.

**WOMAN IS ELECTED AS PRESIDENT OF NEWTON BANK.**

Miss Minnie K. Haley, is president of the state's newest financial institution, the Citizens Bank of Newton, Ala., which will formally open for business Tuesday. R. A. Jones is vice president of the bank and S. P. Jones is cashier.

Announcement that application for charter for this new bank has been approved by State Superintendent of Banks A. E. Jackson, was made at the banking department, Monday afternoon by J. D. Elliott, assistant superintendent. The Citizens Bank of Newton will be in business with an authorized capital of \$10,000.—Advertiser.

**WOULD LOCATE GREEK COLONY HERE.**

Mr. J. L. Wheeler, of Birmingham, is spending a few days at Elba at the Brick Hotel. Mr. Wheeler is seeking a location for a Greek Colony, and is here to look over our lands and get in touch with land owners. These colonists will engage in truck farming, and Mr. Wheeler says he sees no reason why some could not be located in this section as our lands seem to be adapted to trucking.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cooper spent Monday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Terry Kendrick and Miss Sarah Albert Carney spent the Easter holidays with their sister, Mrs. Mary Olive Carney at Judson College.

Mr. V. J. Elmore, of Clanton, was here Monday and Tuesday visiting relatives and greeting his many friends. Mrs. Elmore and little daughter, who have been here for several days returned with him to their home Wednesday.

Mrs. Mark Hartley and little daughter, of Alexander, Ala., are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Hartley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Page at Elba.

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## New Hope Singing.

The people of New Hope and other communities met on the third Sunday of this month for the purpose of singing God's praises. The class was called to order by chairman J. E. Johnson. After singing two songs Bro. J. P. Brooks offered prayer. The committee reported a lesson by six, two songs each: W. S. McWaters, Pansy Godwin, A. B. Brooks, Chalmers Stewart, L. L. Wood, Carl Gunter. Reces 10 minutes. Class called to order by chairman, then the committee reported six, two songs each: Obed Wilson, Benford Lowry, G. L. Beck, Shelby Killingsworth, Sim McLendon, W. J. Horne. Bro. J. P. Brooks dismissed with prayer until next third Sunday.

Every body is cordially invited to come and be with us. Lilla Mae Johnson, Sect.

## Goodman News.

Our people are about thru planting cotton. We had a large attendance at Sunday School Sunday. Hope to have a better Sunday school in the future. Mrs. Dillard and Mrs. George Grimes gave their Sunday school classes an egg hunt Saturday afternoon. All had a nice time. The children all love Mrs. Dillard for she is such a good, christian woman. Wish we had more like her. The dance at Mr. Pierce McWaters Saturday night was well attended.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and children visited her daughter, Mrs. Allen, in Glendale, Fla., Saturday and Sunday, April 9. Miss Glovenia Ross dined with Mrs. Lula Ross Thursday. Misses Willie Bell and Essie Goodman spent the day at Mrs. J. W. Sells Tuesday. Misses Lula Mae and Eura Johnson and little Theria Allen visited Susie and Dora Sellers Friday.

Mr. Jim Marsh and family visited his sister, Mrs. Lena Brown at Bluff Springs Saturday and Sunday night. Mr. Shelby Galaway and wife visited the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ross Saturday and Sunday. Those who dined at Mr. J. A. Ross Saturday night were: Shelby Galaway and family, Henry Lee and wife, Mr. Bart McCall and daughter, Mollie, Jodie McCall and Mr. Jordan. Mr. McKenzie and wife from Clintonville were visitors at Mr. John Bradley's Sunday. Mr. Walter Fuller dined with Mr. J. A. Ross Friday. Mr. Livingston and family dined at Mr. Sells Sunday. L. E. and Charlie Freeman McCall dined with Ralph Sellers Sunday. Mrs. John McCall dined with Mr. Tom Grimes Sunday. Mr. L. A. Hickman and family, of Central City, dined at Mr. John Carroll's Sunday. Mrs. Vannie Henderson and children, Mr. John Bowden and Mr. Alter Allen were at Mr. J. A. Ross' Sunday. Those to dine at Mr. Charlie Ross' Sunday were: Mr. Henry Richards and family, Mr. McWaters and family. Grandma Spears died last Thursday and was buried at Piney Grove cemetery Friday.

## 2 MONTHS OLD BABY LEFT AT ORPHANAGE

Wednesday's Troy Herald: Truth is indeed as strange as fiction, and Dr. J. O. Colley, superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage, relates an incident this morning that could have been taken from the pages of fiction.

Last night at about twelve o'clock two men came to the Baptist Orphanage and left a basket with Supt. Colley, and in it was a beautiful little girl baby, dressed neatly and fashionably and accompanied with all the appurtenances which a baby heart could desire, milk bottles and all.

Dr. Colley did not know the parties who brought the baby to the home, but related to a Herald reporter, a few incidents leading up to the bringing of the baby to Troy, which possibly form some connection with the Montgomery operator told him that the call had been canceled out.

Along about midnight last night some one called Dr. Colley locally, to see if he was at home, but hung up the phone as soon as they ascertained that he was in. In a very few minutes two men came to his home, driving a Ford car, called him to the door and left with him the basket containing the little girl.

A note accompanied the child, stating that her given name is Minnie Virginia, and that she is two months old and further stating in the note that "this baby is for the Baptist Orphanage. Take good care of it. It is from a good Baptist family. You will hear from us."

## DEATH OF LITTLE WILLIE MYRL MURPHREE.

The death angel of love visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Murphree, April 9, 1924 and took from their care little Willie Myrl aged 4 and placed her in hands far superior where she will be guided and guarded to the utmost height.

She had formerly a case of measles, afterwards pneumonia. She was cheerful to the last moment almost. She was born October 29, 1919, and reared up to be one of the sweetest little girls. She attended Sunday School at Tabernacle with a number of little playmates who will miss her greatly. The funeral services were held at the home of her parents and conducted by Rev. Rainey. Then she was carried to Victoria cemetery where quite a number of friends and relatives paid their last respect to her.

## Political Announcements

For Supt. of Education. I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, subject to the Democratic primary of May 13th, 1924.

If re-elected I shall strive to serve the office faithfully and efficiently. Respectfully, J. E. HUDSON. (Paid Political adv. by J. E. Hudson, Elba, Ala.)

For Supt. of Education. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Education subject to the action of the democratic primary on May 13, 1924. If elected I will endeavor to be a superintendent in spirit and in truth, faithfully discharging the duties of the office to the very best of my ability. G. W. CARLISLE. (Paid political adv. by G. W. Carlisle, Enterprise, Ala.)

For Member School Board. To the Voters of Coffee County. I hereby announce myself a candidate for member of County Board of Education, subject to action of democratic primary of May 13. I respectfully ask the support and influence of both men and women voters, and if elected I pledge my very best efforts in the interest of the schools of our county. W. L. HUNTER. (Paid political adv. by W. L. Hunter, New Brockton, Rt. 3.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of the Northwest District subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 13th. Your influence and vote will be highly appreciated. JOSEPH J. MOORE. (Paid political adv. by J. J. Moore, Elba, Route 5.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce my candidacy for Commissioner of the North-West District of Coffee county in the democratic primary to be held May 13. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated. C. MONROE JACOBS. (Paid political adv. by C. M. Jacobs—Elba, Rt. 1.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the North-East district of Coffee, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of May 13th. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated. MACE KYSER. (Paid Political adv. by Mace Kyser, New Brockton, Ala., Rt. 3.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of the North-East District of Coffee county, subject to the action of the democratic primary of May 13. Your support will be appreciated very much, and if elected will do the best I can for the district and for the county in general. ED GOODSON. (Paid political adv. by Ed Goodson, New Brockton, Rt. 2.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on May 13th. Your vote and influence will be appreciated. SION R. GATLIN. (Paid Political adv. by S. R. Gatlin, Kinston, Ala.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner from the South-West district of Coffee county, subject to the democratic primary to be held May 13. Will appreciate your vote and influence. JIM R. PATRICK. (Paid political adv. by J. R. Patrick, Elba, Ala.)

For County Commissioner. I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of the South-West District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the democratic primary

on May 13. Your support will be highly appreciated. DAN G. BLAIR. (Paid political adv. by D. G. Blair, Elba, Route 3.)

To the Voters of Coffee County. I was elected in the special election of September 10, 1923, to the office of County Treasurer, and I am a candidate for the regular four year term to succeed myself. I am a candidate therefore in the Democratic Primary on May 13th next. Having made recently a campaign for the short term I am now serving and having received your endorsement, I confidently believe you will as usual endorse me for the regular term. I have endeavored to give efficient and satisfactory service, and I respectfully ask the support of both the men and women voters of the County in the May Primary. Respectfully, Sam R. Morgan. Paid Political Advertisement by S. R. Morgan, Elba, Ala.

NEW BORN INFANT FOUND IN OLD POT. Laverne, Ala., April 17.—At an early hour Tuesday morning, a baby boy was found in the smoke house of a prominent resident of this town. Its feeble cries led a number of the family to an old pot where the smoke had been crammed. The infant was apparently only a couple of hours old. No clothing nor covering of any kind was found and it is doubtful whether the child can survive such exposure. Every effort will be made to turn down the persons guilty of abandoning the infant. The child is being cared for and will be given a home if it survives.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION.—An election will be held in the several polling places in the State of Alabama, by the Democratic Party, on Tuesday May 13, 1924, between the hours of eight A. M. and five P. M. for the preference of the Democrats of Alabama for the nominees of the Democratic Party for such State, District and County Officials as are to be elected at the regular election in November 1924. This 5th, day of April, 1924. R. B. EVINS, Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee.

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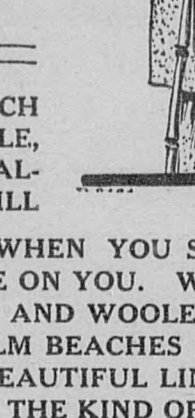
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Only during the rainy season are the trees "bled". After being refined and sterilized, the chicle is mixed with sugar and flavoring and moulded into the familiar form which has become so popular.

**Chewing Gum Aids Digestion**

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Everyone knows we are given to eating more than we actually need, but when the table is heaped with good food, "what's a feller to do?" Things are so tempting, and so palatable! Why not enjoy them?

But many a heavy meal which is hugely enjoyed during the process of eating is far from enjoyable during



